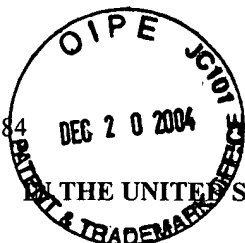


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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27  
☐ Also attached:

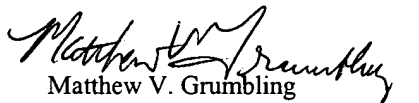
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Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
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- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 502624 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 502624, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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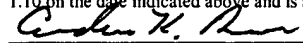
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 14, 2004, entry of the following amendment and favorable reconsideration in light of the amendment and the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Claim Amendments begin on page 2 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this response.